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I believe in self-help as an effective way of dealing with problems, stress, hardship, and pain ... Mending people, curing them, is no longer enough; it is only part of the total health care that most people require.

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